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SUBMISSION AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1774

Dear Sir/Madame:

This Submission is being made in advance of receipt of a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment. Since this application is in final rejection, the Examiner of record called earlier today to advise that a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is being mailed.

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The reason for the Notice was stated to be that the bottom margins of the response submitted have been cut-off. Applicants submit that this error was caused by the USPTO and not the Applicant.

An Amendment After Final Rejection was timely submitted to the USPTO via regular mail on December 22, 2006. Along with the Amendment a Terminal Disclaimer with the appropriate fee was also submitted. Attached please find a copy of the documents submitted along with the return postcard.

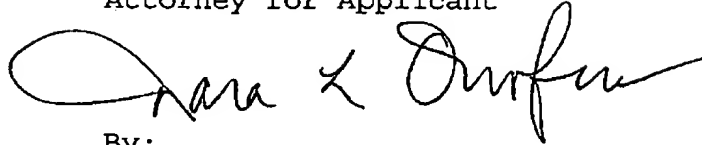
The Amendment After Final Rejection was originally submitted on legal size paper (8 1/2 x 14 inches). It appears that the scanned document the Examiner received was missing the bottom margins because the original legal size document was scanned as a letter size document, thus cutting off the bottom margins.

Since this error was solely USPTO error no fee is deemed to be due in correcting this error.

Accordingly, all objections are now overcome and Applicant submits that this application is now in condition for allowance. No new matter has been introduced by this Amendment. Reconsideration of this application and allowance of Claims 1, 3, 5, 8, 9 and 11-21 are hereby requested. If a telephone interview would be useful to advance this case, then the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned.

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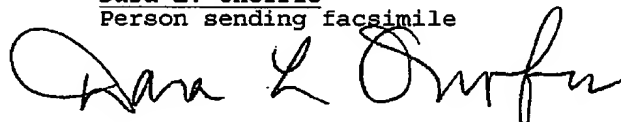
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Amendment in response to Final Rejection Office action dated September 25, 2006 including Terminal Disclaimer and auth. to Credit Card; and Certificate of Mailing dated December 22, 2006

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